

## Message Text

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TO AMEMBASSY MOSCOW PRIORITY

S E C R E T STATE 172370

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E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: PFOR, XF, US, UR, IS

SUBJECT: BRIEFING OF SOVIETS ON BEGIN VISIT

REF: STATE 171271

1. AS PART OF CONSULTATIVE PROCESS WITH SOVIETS ON THE  
MIDDLE EAST, YOU ARE INSTRUCTED TO SEEK APPOINTMENT WITH  
GROMYKO OR KUZNETSOV AND CONVEY INFORMATION ON DETAILS  
OF PRESIDENT'S TALKS WITH BEGIN CONTAINED REFTEL.  
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## Message Attributes

**Automatic Decaptioning:** Z  
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**Channel Indicators:** n/a  
**Current Classification:** UNCLASSIFIED  
**Concepts:** MINISTERIAL VISITS, BRIEFINGS  
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**Sent Date:** 23-Jul-1977 12:00:00 am  
**Decaption Date:** 22 May 2009  
**Decaption Note:** 25 YEAR REVIEW  
**Disposition Action:** RELEASED  
**Disposition Approved on Date:**  
**Disposition Case Number:** n/a  
**Disposition Comment:** 25 YEAR REVIEW  
**Disposition Date:** 22 May 2009  
**Disposition Event:**  
**Disposition History:** n/a  
**Disposition Reason:**  
**Disposition Remarks:**  
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**Document Unique ID:** 00  
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**Executive Order:** GS  
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**Litigation History:**  
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**Reference:** 77 STATE 171271  
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**Subject:** BRIEFING OF SOVIETS ON BEGIN VISIT  
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